

side of the building there was a similar crowd. "One class of patrons are putting their money in," said Mr. Edson, "while the other is drawing it out." About 11 o'clock the crowd began to swell and at noon people filled the banking office. Many women were present and were more or less excited. While the crowd was at its greatest the Rev. D. J. Stafford, of St. Patrick's church, appeared on the platform and went among the crowd, assuring them they were safe, and that it was useless to draw out their money. As the crowd swelled, Father Stafford stood upon a chair and addressed the people.

"I have a large personal deposit here," he told them. "Also I have all the church's funds in this bank. Many of my parishioners have their money here also, and I have advised them to let it remain here, for I know the bank to be safe and sound." Father Stafford's remarks had a great effect. The crowd thinned rapidly and many came up to the priest and shook hands with him.

Edson Makes Statement.

President Edson made a statement that the bank was in an excellent condition and that he was extremely sorry such a condition should exist. "These are the resources of the bank," said he: "Loans, \$5,125,531.79; overdrafts, \$36,222; stocks, securities, etc., \$27,734.17; real estate, \$1,000,000; furniture, fixtures, vault and safe, \$102,732.75; other real estate, \$4,084.32; available cash, \$1,838,209.00; liabilities, capital stock paid in, \$1,000,000; surplus fund, \$500,000.00; undivided profits, \$16,048.41; dividends unpaid, \$2,423.50; tax reserve fund, \$3,898.00." "The books and entries connected with the institution were thoroughly examined not three weeks ago and found to be in a good, healthy condition. Had it not been for a woman confounding this bank with another institution of similar name the run would never have occurred."

"It happened in this way. Yesterday a woman employed at the Pension Bureau spread a rumor that she could draw her money from the bank, which was known as the Washington something. People immediately jumped to the conclusion that our bank was the one in question. Consequently there were a few people who drew out their money yesterday, but the major number has flocked here this morning. The run yesterday was only normal. Today it has been abnormal."

"When the rumor got about town I started in to make an investigation, requested Chief Clerk Bailey of the Pension Bureau to make an investigation. He did and found out who the woman was. She had merely gotten the two institutions mixed."

Ample Supply of Cash Ready.

The coolest people about the institution were President Edson and the other officers. Many people called at Mr. Edson's private office to express their confidence in the institution, and many depositors came to mention by way of encouragement that they had made deposits. The usual course of business was not interfered with; the clerks in the exchange and other departments were doing the usual business, while three paying tellers were paying out money as fast as checks were presented. The trust company could give notice and take time to meet deposit accounts, but there is no thought of doing such a thing. On the other hand, with nearly \$2,000,000 of available cash when the run began, the institution received assurances from the President Edson spoke with great satisfaction of the assurances he had received from bankers in the city, and said he presumed there would be a conference later in the day at which arrangements would be made to provide cash as long as the demand would continue. He was confident, however, that before Monday the feeling of security would be restored, and that there would be no resumption of the run next week.

The institution has 20,000 depositors, and its securities are of the particular kind that is most secure. The bank is secured by gilt-edged collateral. All loans are thus represented, and the payments can be made on any day. The first mortgages on real estate or instantly marketable stocks and bonds constituting the assets. It was estimated at about 500 depositors.

Several New York bankers have wired President Edson to draw on their institutions in any emergency. The local banks have also signified their intention of giving aid if it is found necessary. The bank closed its doors promptly at noon, in accordance with the Saturday custom.

Comptroller Kane Gives Assurances

Acting Comptroller of Currency T. P. Kane, in an interview with a Times reporter, characterized as "senseless and unreasoning," the uneasiness and rumors of weakness of the Washington Loan and Trust company. In fact, so strongly was he convinced of its soundness and the falsity of stories to the contrary that he did not consider an official statement necessary.

"The report of our examiner," said Mr. Kane, "who made an examination of the institution about two months ago, showed that it was never before in better condition, and the company's report, made in answer to a call upon them by the Comptroller of Currency showed the same thing."

The Deputy Comptroller expresses the belief that by Monday morning when there has been time for facts to become known, there will be no further uneasiness.

PLATT EXPOSE BROUGHT ABOUT BY DETECTIVE

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occurred in the LaMonte house, Mrs. Platt practically told these people it was a matter of a settlement and a separation, and an agreement to discontinue any divorce proceedings on their part, or it was the bringing of a divorce suit. He said with none of the secrecy that the Platts had intended.

Receives Annuity for Life.

The Platts capitulated. The separation was formally agreed to and the papers signed. Mrs. Platt was permitted to retain 300 shares of United States Express Company stock, valued at \$25,000, which the Senator had previously given her; she was given a deed to Toga Lodge, which cost Senator Platt \$30,000 and \$30,000 in improvements; in addition the Platts sons agreed to pay her \$10,000 a year with a guarantee by them for the rest of her life.

The only thing that Mrs. Platt was not part agreed to was that she was not to take any steps looking toward the bringing of a divorce suit, nor was she to close any of the facts of the whole affair. But the story leaked out from other sources.

EXHIBITION OF DRAWINGS OF NEW HOTEL RANDOLPH

An exhibition of all the drawings submitted in the competition for the new Hotel Randolph will be on view tonight and tomorrow at the rooms of the Washington Architectural Club, 729 Fifteenth street. The public who may desire to see these evidences of the several architects' skill are invited to be present. The prize drawing by B. Stanley Simmons is on exhibition in the window of the store on the east side of the proposed building at the southeast street and Pennsylvania avenue.

Six Millions in Gold For Holiday Season

Presses at Philadelphia Mint Daily Turning Out, By the Thousands, Bright Pieces of Coin For Christmas Rush.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 17.—Shiny gold pieces will nestle in the tones of many little stockings at Christmastime. The United States mint now is a-whirl with activity, and the monster presses are taxed to the utmost turning out hundreds of coins each minute to meet the great demand of the Christmas rush. Six millions of dollars in gold, in double eagles, eagles, and two-and-a-half pieces will be coined before the New Year. The tiny two-and-a-half piece, hardly larger than a cent, is the Christmas popular coin. More and still more is the cry of the bankers, and it seems almost impossible to make the supply big enough.

The demand for the minor coins, dimes, nickels, and cents, so necessary to the shopper, is greater than ever before. Twenty-one presses are kept running ceaselessly turning out quarters and cents. The coming of pennies alone will reach a million dollars before this demand of the holiday season is supplied. The mint's busy time begins with September 1 of each year, and terminates two or three days before Christmas. It is expected that very soon the employees will be put on double time and work until 10 or 11 o'clock each night.

A reduction of some proportion in the force employed at the Government Printing Office now is under consideration by the Public Printer. The reduction, however, it was said today, will not take effect for several weeks or more. And, in making the dismissals, Public Printer Stillings, it was said, will be guided solely with the view of increasing the efficiency of the office. To obtain data on which to base the reduction of the force, the Public Printer requested the foremen of the several divisions in the office to report to him the records of each individual employee. The scarcity of work at the Printing Office is said to be due to the investigation made a year ago by the printing commission of Congress.

It was said last evening that Foreman Espey and Connor, of the bindery, declined to furnish the information asked for by Public Printer Stillings, and their answer was the tender of their resignations.

Public Printer Stillings, when asked about the report of the resignations to him, said he had nothing to say at this time.

The Messrs. Espey and Connor it was said, were at the office today.

BENNING ENTRIES FOR MONDAY'S RACES

First race—For all ages; no winners of \$500 in 1906 or 1905; six and one-half furlongs; Columbia course. Poquessing, 29; H. L. Wild Range, 105; Belle Strong, 122; Rickey, 120; Tudor, 108; Yorkist, 102; Barrino, 102; Tuckerneck, 100; Work Maid, 97; Pina and Needles, 97; Marie, 97; Fing Binford, 97; Laura A, 97.

Second race—Selling; Steeplechase Handicap; four-year-olds and up; about two miles. Wild Range, 105; Cherry Fighter, 102; Northville, 149; Russell Sage, 150; Frank Somers, 150; Berry Walden, 129; Hunt, 105; Valley Forge, 135; Scilla, 130.

Third race—Two-year-olds; six furlongs; old course. Landman, 112; Sheridan, 112; Botanist, 112; Lord Roanoke, 112; Umbrella, 109; King of Spades, 109; Yorkist, 109; Mexican Silver, 109; Barrino, 109.

Fourth race—Selling; two-year-olds at seven pounds under the scale; six furlongs; old course. Eldorado, 105; Cambyser, 105; Canby, 105; New York, 105; Racine, 102; Old Colony, 102; Autumn Flower, 102; "Reindeer," 102; "Black Flag," 102; "Emiola," 102; "Lady Vincent," 102; "Prisoner," 97; "Nancy," 97; "Handmaiden," 97.

Fifth race—Selling; three-year-olds and up; one mile and fifty yards; old course. Banker, 112; Ivy, 105; Grand Duchess, 105; Emperor of India, 105; Ormonde, 105; Right, 105; Delphic, 105; White, 105; Nemesis, 104; "Toscan," 107; "New York," 107; "Voladay," 107; "Blue Fick," 104; "Lindale," 104; "Pleasant Days," 104.

Sixth race—Handicap; four-year-olds and up; one mile and one furlong; old course. Dollie Spanker, 120; Aggie, 116; Ormonde, 116; "15," 115; Andy, 115; Gaunter, 110; Solon Shingle, 105; Empiro of India, 104; Coronel, 84.

Apprentice allowance.

Clear, slow.

SIX SHIPS WRECKED AT NEW BRUNSWICK

OTTAWA, Ontario, Nov. 17.—Terrific gales are sweeping the coast. Six vessels are wrecked near St. Martins, St. Johns, and Charlottetown, New Brunswick.

It is impossible at this time to saw how many small schooners are wrecked in the storm, which is still raging. It is feared several steamers have been lost.

AUGUSTUS BROWN DEAD; OLD RETIRED POLICEMAN

Augustus Brown, one of the oldest members of the police force of this city, died about 10 o'clock this morning at his home, 3319 Q street.

Mr. Brown was born in Montgomery county, Md., March 4, 1835. He served an apprenticeship as a carpenter, and followed that trade until September, 1861, when he was appointed on the police force. He was retired on a pension on March 1, 1899. He was a member of George C. Whitling Lodge of Masons.

BUILDING TRADES MEET TO DISCUSS PLUMBERS

Representatives of the Building Trades will hold an important meeting tonight when among other things the question of the arbitration between the plumbers and the journeymen, will come up for discussion.

PUBLIC PRINTER TO REDUCE FORCE OFF FOR CHIRQUI

Said to Have Requested Data Which Two Foremen Wouldn't Give. Unofficial Announcement of Squadron's Trip From Colon for Coal.

No further official information has reached the Navy Department, from the Presidential squadron of warships, concerning the Executive's movements, since he reached the Canal Zone. A cable dispatch received from Captain Coudon early this morning, however, barely announced the fact that the three ships had left Colon for Chiriqui, which indicates that they had gone to the latter point for coal for the President's next journey, which will begin either tonight or Sunday, for Porto Rico.

Owing to the roughness of the bay at Colon, it was not thought practicable to bring coaling along the battleship, and two cruisers for coaling there, so the coaling process is now under way in quiet waters.

ALEXANDRIA PLAY FOR SMITH BENEFIT

Theatrical Production by Lyceum Dramatic Club for Murdered Man's Family.

WASHINGTON TIMES BUREAU. ALEXANDRIA, VA., NOV. 17. K. Kemper, superintendent of the public schools of Alexandria, has completed arrangements for the educational meeting to be held under the direction of the State Board of Education at the opera house here, on November 1. The meeting, which will be open to the public generally, will be addressed by Dr. Rayne and C. G. Maples, of Charlottesville, and Senator L. H. Machen and Delegate James R. Catton, of this city. The meeting will be the first of its kind ever held in this city, and is one of a series of similar meetings being held throughout the State by the State Board of Education.

Smith Benefit Play.

The Lyceum Dramatic Club, on Tuesday evening, December 4, will reproduce the play, "The Showman's Ward," at the Opera House here, for the benefit of the family of the late Charles T. Smith, who was killed assisting a policeman in making an arrest. The committee having the affair in charge is composed as follows: Herbert McCuen, chairman; William W. West, secretary; Harry Fleischmann, treasurer; Gus Fehl, Frank Hill, Frank Spinks, Walter M. Donnelly, Alton Moore, George T. Catton, and A. D. Montier.

Blaze Damages Engine.

A blaze which started in the cab of an engine in the yards of the Southern Railway Company nearly destroyed the cab, but by the shifting of the engine by derrick the flames were kept from spreading.

Freight Car Suspect Bailed.

Harvey Robinson, who was arrested on the charge of being connected with the robbery of freight cars was last evening released on \$2,000 bail. Mrs. William Simms becoming his surety. John Robinson, the father of Harvey Robinson, being unable to furnish bond, is still being held.

Nichols-Todd Wedding.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Eliza Todd and Dillie Nichols, both of Alexandria, which was celebrated in this city by the Rev. J. A. Jeffers at the parsonage of Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church last Wednesday.

DEATH RECORD.

Patrick McIntyre, 70 years, 3330 O street northwest.
James I. Gorem, 55 years, Lamond, D. C.
Sophia E. Walker, 51 years, 1127 Thirteenth street northwest.
John Carroll, 49 years, Washington everyday Hospital.
Indiana Eckloff, 47 years, 2303 Wisconsin avenue northwest.
Eugene Rodgers, 32 years, Freedman's Hospital.
Lillie Coleman, 32 years, Columbia Hospital.
Ellen Norman, 32 years, Washington Asylum Hospital.
Albert D. W. Stennett, 30 years, 627 M street southwest.
Charles E. Grant, 21 years, United States Jail.
Marle O. Thrift, 13 years, 1013 Fourth street, southeast.
Charles M. Williams, 3 years, 719 Sixth street southwest.
Columbus Furner, 3 years, 219 Maryland avenue northeast.
Halbert A. Smoot, 56 years, 823 Thirteenth street northwest.
Philip Fry, 65 years, Freedman's Hospital.
Enoch Bookers, 41 years, Freedman's Hospital.
Louise Whittaker, 30 years, 1930 Ninth street northwest.
Bon Pinket, 15 years, 140 Francis street southwest.
Alice M. Ramsay, 14 years, 924 Eighth street northwest.
Russell Newton, 3 years, 120 Pierce street northwest.
Joseph E. Hampton, 2 months, 216 Second street southeast.

TELEPHONE EAVESDROPPERS AROUSE NAVY DEPARTMENT

Method of Keeping Tab on Forbidden Private Conversations Objected to by Officials—Exception Made of Bonaparte's Office.

If they are deprived of all personal use, for whatever purpose, of the telephone in their office why should not the private conversations held on the wire between the office of the Secretary of the Navy and his office and residence in Baltimore be charged up to Mr. Bonaparte, is a question that has arisen in the disturbed minds of a number of chiefs of bureaus in the Navy Department.

Developments of the past few days in the Navy Department have disclosed to even the highest officials that it is impossible for them to hold private conversations over the department telephones. H. C. Gauss, private secretary of Secretary Bonaparte, has taken the situation in hand and made private detectives of the "hello" girls in the department's telephone exchange. For some time the operators have been listening to every conversation possible and keeping tab of all those which, according to their judgment, have no bearing on business of the department.

Officials were given a surprise when they learned that an "official eavesdropper" had been appointed, particularly by the Secretary's private secretary. The matter of looking after the telephone business of the department usually falls to the chief clerk and there is general resentment that censorship has thus been put on their conversations.

The detective-like operations became known yesterday afternoon when a bureau chief received a note from Gauss, calling his attention to the fact that he had used the line twice in one day for private conversations. While some of the officials take the stand that the Government should be charged up with private conversations they do bitterly resent the method that has been adopted to "spy" on them, and it is likely that the matter will be called to the attention of the Secretary.

Some officials have suggested that their private conversations be charged to the department's telephone exchange. This matter also may be brought to the attention of the Keep Commission.

for good and all. I would not live five years if I returned to the political arena. Here in Ireland, with my horses, I am looking forward to the fifteen best years of my life.

"When I resumed the leadership of Tammany I did so only after twenty-five of the district leaders had urged me to untangle matters. I insisted the call must be unanimous. I went into the executive committee meeting and asked if anybody opposed me to let him stand up like a man. Nobody stood up. Then Mr. Sheehan arose and said he wanted to announce that he was ready to follow wherever I might lead."

"I will never assume the position again. I do not intend to return to New York shortly as alleged. I considered going to gather evidence for this libel suit against the London Magazine, but as the suit was settled by an apology I will remain here."

Regrets McClellan-Murphy Trouble.

"This will be all my future. Concerning Tammany's future the men on the spot are the best judges. I have no information as to a fight between Murphy and McClellan, but I regret the misunderstanding and hope some means will be found to change Murphy's opinion of Mayor McClellan and McClellan's opinion of Murphy."

"The future of the Democratic party is in the hands of the workingmen and Democrats should improve the conditions of labor and should insist that the workingman be killed, not starved. To be treacherous is to be underhanded. McClellan, on the contrary, gave open notice that he would retaliate for the blows Hearst showered on him."

"I am glad the rest of the ticket was elected. I am especially pleased with the election of the judicial nominees. I believe the judges would have won even if Tammany had not supported Hearst and the latter had nominated his own judges. Tammany's judges are all capable men. The talk of a corrupt bench is all clap-trap."

Ashamed of Friendship for Cockran.

"I ask the judgment of all fair-minded persons. I have nothing to regard with shame in my political career except my friendship for Bourke Cockran. I never did anything corrupt nor betrayed anybody."

"Only once did I ever enter into a deal with the Republicans, and that was during the administration of Governor Black when Senator Platt and I agreed to sign the passage of the anti-car bill. The agreement was without result as Governor Black declined to sign the bill. Black was praised as New York's best governor for his attitude, but shortly afterward he was being cartooned as a rogue."

"I am convinced that the anti-car bill had passed President McKinley would now be alive. If the cartooned 'plunderers' are assassinated, the responsibility will not be hard to trace."

"I affirm that on no other occasion have I negotiated with the Republicans. If anyone believes he has proofs to the contrary or if anyone can specifically accuse me of corruption in my thirty-five years of political life let him speak out. I give permission to anybody to tell all he knows about me."

Will Not Re-enter Politics.

"Regarding the future I want to dispel the rumor that I intend to re-enter politics. Nothing could induce me to re-assess myself in Tammany and play another part in politics. I am out of it."

TERMS.

Nervy (the commercial drummer): Say you'll marry me, won't you? I've got money.

Miss Hutton—Sir! this is a gross insult.

Nervy—No; positively "net." I assure you.

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You feel bad—then try to smother your feelings (nature's warnings) with tobacco, whiskey, or COFFEE—the most dangerous "friends" one can mix with.

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Stop the food and drink that does not nourish.

Go on Grape-Nuts and cream and a simple diet. Quit coffee and let old Mother Nature put you well again.

You can call in the help of a powerful friend—the food beverage,

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Be sure to read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

CROKER'S HATE HITS HEARST AND COCKRAN

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clean politics. God save Democracy from such reformers. "I am unable to explain the attacks on me by my one-time Tammany friends because of my interview in the Dublin Freeman. I simply wanted to vindicate myself from the charge, a year ago, of having been in the London Magazine's libel suit against the London Magazine, but as the suit was settled by an apology I will remain here."

Has Found Murphy Honest.

"I always found Charles F. Murphy upright, honest, and well-meaning. I am still unable to account for his support of Hearst in the nominating convention. It was the first occasion in my recollection when Tammany was unable to nominate its own man (Suizer) for governor. Murphy allowed the opportunity to pass."

"It seems to me Hearst held his independence League club over Tammany. I would go to the stake before submitting to such tactics. Senator McClellan played the part right. He refused to desert his friends and the organization. It is a shame to see him killed. Hearst is to be treacherous is to be underhanded. McClellan, on the contrary, gave open notice that he would retaliate for the blows Hearst showered on him."

"The real lesson of the election was that the people are alive to the dangers of trusts. If Democrats fail to realize that a change is coming in America the party will surely suffer. Democrats should seize the opportunity to work in harmony with labor."

Advice to Democracy.

"I want to point out an opportunity for the Democratic party to prove its friendliness. Let it copy the philanthropic work of Nathan Strauss. He is a man who compels profound admiration. His pure love of humanity he saves the lives of more infants in New York than all the doctors in the Metropolis. His system of sterilized milk distribution is a lesson to those who only talk of helping the poor."

"Why cannot the Democracy adopt the Strauss attitude and confer substantial benefits on the poor. Unless the Democracy protects workmen from unscrupulous capital it will cease to be a great party."

"In conclusion let me give this advice to the party to refrain from personal vilification in future campaigns. Calumny never wins political battles. Fight on clean issues and do not accuse opponents of crimes simply because they are opponents. If you cannot win by fair means do not stoop to foul ones. Do not despair if you have not retained your manhood. That has been the ruin of many a politician. (Copyrighted 1906 by Publishers Press.)

MRS. STOCKTON WEAKER; LITTLE HOPE ENTERTAINED

Mrs. Frank R. Stockton, who has been seriously ill in her apartments in the St. George, was slightly weaker today. Dr. Louis Mackall, her attending physician, has not expressed the opinion that there is any immediate danger of Mrs. Stockton's death, although it is understood that there is little hope.

Mrs. Stockton is unconscious and has been so for nearly the entire period of her illness.

The Case of the Tan Glove, the most interesting of the Scott Campbell's "Below the Dead Line" series of detective stories, will be told in tomorrow's Washington Sunday Times.

Died.

MCINTYRE—On Friday morning, November 16, at 8 o'clock, PATRICK MCINTYRE, beloved husband of Mary C. MCINTYRE, in the seventeenth year of his age.

He was born in County Down, Ireland, seventy years ago. He had been ill four months. Four children, two sons and two daughters, survive him.

PLUMMER—On Friday, November 16, 1906, at her residence, 214 L street northwest, MARY E. PLUMMER, widow of William Plummer.

For many years she has been the proprietor of one of the largest and best known private boarding houses in the city. She has lived in Washington all her life, and was familiar with the tragic incidents succeeding the civil war. Many Southern soldiers made their home in her place while in the city. Among them were the widow of General Pickett, General Longstreet, and his son, General Mosely, of Virginia, and his daughter, General Wheeler, of Alabama, and General Gordon, of Georgia.

THRIFF—Entered into rest at 4:30 a. m., Thursday, November 15, 1906, MABEL OCTAVIA, eldest daughter of Edward S. and Alice V. Thrift, in the fourteenth year of her age.

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Special Notices.

WILL the gentleman who aided a lady in the street car accident at Pennsylvania avenue and Seventh street northwest, Thursday, November 15, and assisted her to cab, kindly communicate with EUGENE J. TIGHE, No. 1362 Irving street northwest.

AMERICAN TELEPHONE COMPANY, No. 307 D st. n.w., Washington, D. C. American Telephone Company, Notice of Annual Meeting. Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the stockholders of the American Telephone Company will be held at the principal office of the Company, Room 10, Hutchins Building, 307 D st. n.w., Washington, D. C., on TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1906, at 10 O'CLOCK A. M. for the purpose of electing eleven Trustees or Directors who shall manage the affairs of the Company for the ensuing year; of receiving the annual report of the President and other officers of the Company and taking such action respecting the matters therein as may be deemed best, and for the purpose also of transacting any and all other business that may properly come before such annual meeting.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of shareholders of the Capozzaya Mining Company will be held in Rooms 511-13 and 601 Colorado Building, MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26, at one o'clock P. M. Transfer books close fifteen days prior to the meeting and will not reopen until adjournment thereof. E. H. BERRY, Secretary-Treasurer. oct27,10,11,13

THE FIFTH SEMI-ANNUAL dividend of two and one-half (2½) per cent has been declared on the preferred stock of the Washington Railway and Electric Company, payable December 31, 1906, to stockholders of record November 20th, 1906. Books for the transfer of stock will be closed from November 20th, 1906, to December 31, 1906, both dates inclusive. JAS. E. H. BERRY, Secretary. nov15,17,19,20,22,27,30

PERSON WHO HELPED young man out of excavation at the side of car track near 14th st. In April, 1903, will find it to his interest to communicate with BOX 23, Times Office. nov15

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